

# The Vernon Record

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## COAL MEN CHOOSE HOUSTON FOR NEXT CONVENTION CITY

Local Dealer Is Elected First Vice President of State Association at Closing Session of Annual Meeting Here Wednesday

The nineteenth annual convention of the Texas Retail Coal Dealers Association, came to a close here Wednesday afternoon with the selection of Houston as the convention city for 1925 and the election of officers and members of the executive committee for the ensuing year.

Officers chosen at the closing session were: Harvey S. Trowitt, Dallas, president; W. N. Martin, Vernon, first vice president; D. F. Bushnell, Waco, second vice president; C. R. Goldmann, Dallas, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the executive committee, other than the officers, were: Lee M. Pool, Greenville; Tillman Bibb, Fort Worth; L. G. Elderidge, Waco; Elijah Gales, retiring president, is automatically a member of the executive committee.

Visitors at the convention expressed pleasure at the manner in which the convention had been entertained. Tuesday night a banquet was given by the Chamber of Commerce. It was served in the Shive building by ladies of the auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church. The banquet was followed by an informal dance in the Elk club rooms. Other entertainment features included a barbecue by the wholesale coal dealers Wednesday afternoon, following adjournment.

The need of co-operation between all factors in the coal industry to facilitate the movement of coal during the summer months as a means of making the coal business steady throughout the year rather than a seasonal business, was stressed by speakers at Wednesday's session.

Gomer Jones of Muskogee, Ok., vice president of district 21, United Mine Workers of America, addressed the convention at the morning session, pledging the co-operation of the mine workers in any movement to improve conditions in the coal industry. W. F. Stetley, Fort Worth, general freight and passenger agent of the Fort Worth & Denver Railway, spoke of the importance of summer movement of coal supplies, in order to avoid shortage of cars during fall and winter.

The visitors were guests of the wholesale coal dealers at a barbecue at the county fair grounds at noon Wednesday. After adjournment a trip was made to Lake Kemp, on the Wichita River, thirty miles south of Vernon.

## Full House Greets Senior Class Play Last Night Here

"Come Out of the Kitchen," was played in a crowded house last night at the Vernon Theater by the Seniors of the Vernon High School. Even standing room was not available when the curtain went up at 8:30. Cars were parked on Main Street for two or three blocks and the side streets near the theatre were also full of cars. The sale of tickets was very gratifying to the students and the director of the show, Miss Anna Lee Pendleton directed the play and the following graduates took part: Katherine Wheatley, Thornton Ferguson, Willie Lowrey, Mildred Robertson, Chaucer Estes, Neal Mason, Robert Stokes, Joe B. Vaughn, Paye McKinley, Nolan Buckner, Annie Cagle. The clever comedy pleased the vast audience immensely and words of praise for the young players are heard everywhere this morning.

## DR. MOORE GOES TO MAYO BROS. HOSPITAL

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Moore and son, Russell, left Wednesday for Rochester, Minn., where Dr. Moore will be for three or four weeks attending the Clinic at Mayo Brothers hospital.

## Returns To Fort Worth.

Mrs. Leslie Russell and little son, Harland Bates Russell, will leave tomorrow for Wichita Falls where they will visit a few days with relatives. Mrs. Russell has been here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Robinson and will return to her home at Fort Worth soon.

## FIRE CAUSES BIG DAMAGE IN SIGLER FIELD WEDNESDAY

Blaze of Unknown Origin Destroys Derrick and Engine House and Put Machinery Out of Commission on Sigler No. 1

The derrick, engine house and other structures at Sigler No. 1, in the Sigler field ten miles south of Vernon, were totally destroyed by a Wednesday night. Much machinery and other equipment used in operating the well were rendered useless by the fire damage, and the production from the well will be closed down for some two or three weeks while the derrick and other structures are being replaced and awaiting the arrival of new machinery for pumping the well.

The fire started from an unknown cause early Wednesday night and the derrick and engine house were soon in ashes. It required an all-night struggle to extinguish the flames from the oil inside the well. It was necessary to rip up steam lines from other wells in the field and bring them into play before the flames in the well could be extinguished. The fire was finally put out about 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

The financial loss in property from the fire will probably be from \$5,000 to \$8,000, according to men in charge of the Sigler lease, and the loss from the closing down of the well will bring the total up to a considerable amount. It is estimated that it will require from two to three weeks to get the well on the pump again.

Sigler No. 1 is the discovery well in the Sigler field and has been a steady producer for the past four years.

## OFFICERS JUNK 16 STILLS HERE

COPPER SOLD AFTER OUTFITS PUT OUT OF ORDER—TAKE PICTURE OF THIRTY-ONE

Sixteen stills were destroyed yesterday morning by Sheriff W. Frank Edmonson and the copper obtained from them sold for junk. The stills had been captured in the past year and had been used as evidence in prosecuting cases here. The stills ranged in capacity from two gallons to fifty gallons and were from the nearest material to the best material used in the manufacture of such equipment. Some of them were copper throughout while others were of ordinary galvanized iron and in some even tin had been used for the boiling pot. In one instance a coil had been made from a twisted gas pipe. Another coil still contained some of the liquor.

After the stills had been used as evidence in cases at the county house, were destroyed, the truck on which they were loaded was driven to the county jail and 15 more stills were taken from the basement of the building, piled in a row, and a picture of the entire group taken by L. P. Kinner, Sheriff Frank Edmonson and his deputies, A. B. Hayes and Clyde D. Watts, and John A. Storey, district attorney, who had assisted in capturing the still and prosecuting the cases, were included in the picture. The total number of stills came to 31 and were the fruits of the work of the sheriff's force since the time of W. A. Ish, former sheriff of Wilbarger county.

The stills which are to be used as evidence in cases that have not come up for trial, were returned to the basement of the jail to be produced as evidence later.

## WORKERS' CONFERENCE AT ITALIA NEXT WEEK

The following program will be given at the Workers' Conference at an all-day meeting held at the Lockout Baptist church, Monday and Tuesday, May 27:

- 8 a. m. Monday night, "Deaconship"—Rev. McNair.
- Tuesday:
- 10 a. m. Devotional—Clint Casdeberry.
- 10:30 a. m.—"Laymen's Duty to the Church"—J. B. Ray.
- 11 a. m.—Sermon by Dr. E. A. Lyons.
- Dinner.
- 1:15—Board meeting.
- 2—W. M. U. Program.
- 3—Pastor's Duty to Church—R. B. Cox.
- 3:30—How May a Church Hold Its Power?—F. D. Pearson.
- 4—Church Covenant—J. E. Ellington.

## De Valera Will Soon Regain Freedom.



EMON DE VALERA

According to authoritative cables from Dublin, the Irish Free State Government is soon to release Eamon de Valera, Republican leader, who has been interned for about a year. Other interned Republicans will be set free at the same time.

## TO SELL MODERN HOME AT AUCTION

CROWDS VISIT HOUSE PRESENTED OVER BY CLUB HOSTESSES.

Throngs of people visit Vernon's Modern Home on Texas street every day to hear the programs and to admire the cozy bungalow with its modest and artistic furnishings; showing just how much painstaking care has been bestowed on the house erected by the citizenship of Vernon. Each day hostesses from the clubs of the city are selected to preside and show the home to visitors, who inspect it from the handsome brick front stoop to the screened in back porch. Soak and spit is everything from the pictures on the walls to the lovely drapes of rose and gold. The curtains are cream color with over drapes of rose and gold. The breakfast room has yellow curtains, the front bedroom heliotrope ones, and the back bedroom dainty white ones. The kitchen which is finished in blue is sporting checkered gingham curtains trimmed in white. Flowers are in every room. Many have been heard to exclaim, "Oh I do hope some bride will be the mistress of this home and she and her husband will live happily ever afterwards." "Amen, how could they help it," some one said, "with such surroundings." The "with such surroundings" of the house will be sold tomorrow at auction to the highest bidder. Visitors have been at the home from all over the county, and from Wichita Falls, Quanah, Chillicothe and Crowell.

## Fifteen Letters Are Awarded To Baseball Players

Fifteen members of 1924 baseball team of the Vernon high school will be awarded letters. All men who played in three or more games will receive letters. A good record was made during the playing season, despite the loss of three games to the last Amarillo high school team. All other games were won by the boys.

The list of baseball letter men follows: Robert Hammett, Robt. Williams, Benson Walker, Hugh Boardland, Raymond Zachry, Truman Teel, Ambrose Robinson, Herbert Robinson, Roy Key, Ted Key, Andy Thompson, Willie Garhausen, Guy Norwood, Harold Bowman, and Leo Castleberry.

## CONTRACTOR COMPLETES WORK AT DAVIDSON

O. A. Swinburn reports that the first story on the Masonic Temple at Davidson was completed last night and the building made ready to turn over to the carpenters. The structure is one of the later types of two story buildings and is made of red tapestry brick. The building will be completed about June 15.

## EASTERN STARS TO OPEN SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Special Program This Afternoon—Grand Visitors Arrive—Degrees Exemplified Tonight—Luncheon for the Members Tomorrow

The School of Instruction of District No. 2 of the Order of the Eastern Star, was formally opened here this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Masonic hall. Over 150 visitors are in attendance.

Mrs. Norton B. Welborn, worthy grand matron of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., will preside over the two days' session.

The school was formally opened by Mrs. Bernice Blanton, worthy matron and officers of the local chapter, and after the program the Worthy Grand Matron took charge. The Grand officers were formally presented. R. D. L. Kilgough, past matron of the Vernon chapter, gave the address of welcome. Mrs. Hattie E. Beadle, of Chillicothe, grand chaplain, responded on behalf of the visitors.

This evening, a beautiful flag ceremony will be conducted by the Worthy Grand Matron and her grand officers. Visitors from several chapters of District 2 will confer degrees on candidates. An address by Mrs. Welborn on "Thoughts" will be given. Tomorrow's program will consist of drills on secret work, reports of delegates, study of the constitution and examinations for certificates.

A luncheon will be given tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for the visitors. About 150 guests will attend the luncheon.

The school will close tomorrow afternoon.

Visitors are being entertained in the home of members of the local chapter. Other grand officers present are: Mrs. Mary C. Jones, district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Hattie E. Beadle, Chillicothe, grand chaplain; Mrs. Maude M. Ripley, assistant district deputy; Mrs. Effie L. Houghton, Memphis, member of grand examining board.

## Wilbarger County Farmer Buys Pure Blood Holsteins

Two purebred Holstein heifers, Lakewood Amy Beauty Posh, and Lakewood Jamboe Palsomer, and one purebred bull, Lakewood Calamity, DeKolt Mielke, arrived here today by express, enroute from the Floradale Farms of Dallas to H. C. Frank, living 11 miles south of Vernon. The three animals are registered stock and come from one of the best lines of Holstein-Friesian breeding in the Southwest.

Mr. Frank is one of the foremost stock breeders in this county and has been very successful with his cattle in the past few years. He spent last Sunday and Monday on the Floradale Farms with Dr. N. C. Elko selecting the animals.

## HELEN JANETTE PETERSON IS BURIED HERE MONDAY

Helen Janette Peterson, nineteen months old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Peterson, died early Monday morning at their home on Mesquite street following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian church, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. L. P. Kinner, and interment took place in East View cemetery. The pall bearers were: Vernon Manis, C. L. Taylor, R. P. Webb and Warren King.

## W. N. STOKES SUBMITS TO OPERATION YESTERDAY

W. N. Stokes submitted to an emergency operation for appendicitis yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The operation took place at a local sanitarium and his condition is satisfactory, attending physicians say.

## Ray Has Good Record.

Luci Childers, little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childers and a pupil in the fifth school, has a splendid record. He has made splendid grades. He will enter the fifth grade next year.

## CHIEF FIGURES IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



ABOVE: ANDY ROCKEFELLER & JAMES A. FOLEY. BELOW: FLOYD GLOTZBACH & HENRY FORD.

James A. Foley, surrogate of New York County, has been selected as the leader of Tammany Hall, the Democratic organization in New York City, succeeding his stepfather-in-law, the late Charles F. Murphy. Miss Abby Rockefeller, 21-year-old daughter of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. and granddaughter of the oil king, was convicted in a New York City Traffic Court as a speeder and freed on suspended sentence. Floyd Glotzbach, of San Jose, Cal., former "Wild Mustard" husband of Mme. Matzenauer, world famous singer, seeking Jack Dempsey's crown. In his first fight he knocked out Danny Gallagher in three seconds. It took five minutes to restore Gallagher to consciousness. Henry Ford, America's first automobile race driver and now her richest man, will act as referee and be in complete charge of the classic 500-mile automobile race at Indianapolis, Ind., on May 30.

## CHURCH WELL TO BE DRILLED IN SOON

GAS CASED OFF IN NEW WELL IN SOUTH VERNON FIELD—GOING AFTER OIL SAND

Church No. 1, which was shut down last Sunday night after striking a strong gas flow, will be drilled into the oil sand Sunday or Monday, according to announcements made here this morning. After the gas pressure was shut off, cement was put in the hole to shut off the gas inside the well and it will be another day or two yet before it is sufficiently set to allow drilling to be resumed.

The drillers are confident that a good oil production will be found as soon as the sand can be drilled into. The gas has been cut off and it is believed that it will not give any further trouble.

## Foundation To Start on Smith Building Monday

Work is progressing rapidly on the Smith building, at Main and Texas streets with a large force of workmen on the job. The forms for the foundation are completed and O. A. Swinburn, contractor, states that he will be ready to run the concrete by Monday and expects to complete the foundations about Wednesday night.

Work on the building has been very slow due to the fact that ground on which to place the building material is very limited in the downtown district. Part of Texas street has been taken over for this purpose and in order to protect the pedestrians a closed chute will be built around the building, backing on the first block of West Texas street has been stored by the city commission and other precautions to prevent accidents will be taken.

## CIRCLE NO 3 MEETS WITH MRS. ANDREWS

Members of Circle No. 3 of the Methodist church were entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Andrews, of Chambers land Street. Mrs. L. E. McCurdy was leader for the afternoon on the Bible lesson. Refreshments were served to nine members.

## Dr. L. N. Stokes Tomorrow.

Dr. E. F. Lyon, pastor of the first Baptist church, will return tomorrow from Atlanta, Georgia, where he has been attending the Southern Baptist convention. He will preach at both services at the church Sunday.

## GRADUATES TO GET DIPLOMAS AT FINAL EXERCISE TONIGHT

J. H. Lowry, Editor of the Honey Grove Signal, Will Deliver Commencement Address at First Methodist Church at 8:30

The final act of the commencement exercises of the Vernon school will take place at the First Methodist Church tonight at 8 o'clock when the graduates will receive their diplomas and the commencement address will be delivered by J. H. Lowry, editor of the Honey Grove Signal and one of the best known newspaper writers and humorists in the State.

Mr. Lowry arrived this morning and is guest at the home of his old-time friend, Rev. E. L. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The two men were neighbors for many years while Rev. Moore was pastor of the Honey Grove Presbyterian Church. Mr. Lowry has achieved considerable distinction as a speaker and he is much in demand for commencement occasions. He has been a member of the board of regents of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton.

Following is the complete program of the commencement exercises tonight:

- Opening chorus—Graduating class.
- Invocation—Rev. L. P. Kopp.
- Salutatory—John Petty.
- Valedictory—Pauline Goetze.
- Chorus—Graduating class.
- Delivery of Diplomas—Dr. E. F. Lyon.
- Delivery of Scholarships—Dr. E. F. Lyon.
- Address to graduates—Hon. J. H. Lowry, Honey Grove, Texas.
- Chorus—Graduating class.
- Benediction—Dr. E. L. Moore.

Closing exercises for graduates of the grammar schools were held at the high school auditorium this morning at 10:30 when certificates of promotion to the high school were awarded to 83 grammar school graduates.

## VERNON HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES READY TO MAKE PLUNGE INTO WORLD

The class of 1924, of the Vernon High school is enjoying life this week. Examinations are over and the class of strong will take a plunge into the outside world when they receive their diplomas tonight at the Methodist church. But first they will leave a few signs of their passing into the business world. High up on the stand pipe in the southwest part of the city, "Class of 24 V. H. S." is inscribed. Yesterday morning when men and women went to work down town, high on a flag pole on top of the court house the colors of the high school floated on the morning breeze.

Tuesday morning, people were aroused from their morning naps by the graduates as with much honking of automobile horns and class yells, they started out to St. James crossing where breakfast was eaten, cooked on a camp fire. Wednesday afternoon, a parade was staged in the downtown section by the Seniors in 20 cars decorated with streamers of purple. Last night a class play was given and tonight, the night of all nights, in a graduate's life, is just a few hours away. Verily the week has been full for the sweet girl graduate and the boys who start out from the school room, tonight.

## Richardson No. 1 Expects To Find Sand at 1260 Feet

The Richardson No. 1 drilling today at about 1250 feet. This is about where the sand is expected to be found. From the vent in the oil sand some radiation in the oil sand will be led to believe the sand will be found at about 1250 feet.

The Wells-Gutherson quadded in Tuesday and has been completing part of the necessary equipment around the rig to start actual drilling this afternoon.

## Shamrock People Visit Here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson, and daughter, Louise and son, Roland, and J. M. Gunter of Shamrock, were guests of Miss Emma Gunter, Wednesday night en route to Denton to attend commencement exercises at the College of Industrial Arts where Mr. and Mrs. Johnson's daughter, Miss Ina, will graduate.

## T. C. Seurgs Likes Field.

T. C. Seurgs, prominent oil operator of Wichita Falls, and two associates, are in Vernon for an indefinite stay. Mr. Seurgs states that he is more than pleased with the looks of the new field.

## NEW HIGHWAY TO RUN SOUTH FROM VERNON PLANNED

Breckenridge Would Be Ob-jective by Way of Lake Kemp Dam, Seymour and Throckmorton for Short Road to Central West Texas

The logging and marking of a new highway from Vernon into central West Texas, providing a shorter route for tourists from that section to Colorado and the Northwest and providing a shorter route from Northwest Texas into central West Texas, will soon be undertaken by the Vernon Chamber of Commerce.

The possibilities of such a route were recently suggested by the Breckenridge Chamber of Commerce and other organizations in Central West Texas, but no definite steps have been taken to get the road marked and advertised. Last week the Vernon delegates to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Brownwood made the trip in cars by way of Seymour, Throckmorton and Breckenridge and came back very much impressed with the advantages of erecting such a highway organization.

The road is in splendid condition practically the entire distance from Vernon to Breckenridge, and it is susceptible of improvement at very small cost. Much of the road is already included in the seven per cent designation of the State Highway Department and is included in the Federal system.

Heretofore it has been necessary to route traffic from this section, bound for Central West Texas, by way of Fort Worth, which is about 200 miles greater distance than the road leading directly south from Vernon.

Another big attraction for the proposed new highway is that it goes by the big dam at Lake Kemp on the Wichita River, crossing the stream on the dam itself. This project has been given wide publicity throughout Texas and people from every section are anxious to see it, but very few know how to reach it.

Such a highway would bring much tourist traffic through Vernon when they come to appreciate the advantages it offers.

A meeting will probably be held early next month at some point south of here to make plans for marking and advertising the proposed highway.

## Pauline Goetze Makes Excellent Record in School

Miss Pauline Goetze, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goetze, has one of the most enviable records of any student in the history of the Vernon high school. She is valedictorian of her class and will graduate in music this year after many years of study under the able teaching of her father.

In the four years that she has been attending the Vernon High school she has never fallen below the average of 90 per cent in her grades and in her music she has never failed to win the praise of all who have heard her.

Aside from the excellent record made in the academic department she has been very active in the clubs of the High school and for two years has successfully directed the High school orchestra. She is a member of the L. L. L. club, president of the Latin club and wrote the class history this year.

Miss Goetze will go to St. Louis next month where she will attend the Progressive Series Teachers' College for a ten week's course. She is, as yet, undecided as to where she will attend school next fall.

## BUCKNER MEN'S BIBLE CLASS MEET AT THEATER

The Sunday school class organized some weeks ago for men and which meets at the Pictorial Theater, has been named Buckner Men's Bible Class, in memory of the founder of the orchards' home at Dallas, Father Buckner.

Fifty men were present Sunday morning at the study hour and a special program was enjoyed. Next Sunday, Mrs. E. A. Vernon will sing and other special musical numbers will be given. R. M. Fielder will lecture on the lesson.

A good natured rivalry exists between the men's class of the Methodist church of which W. H. Huggins is teacher and the newly organized class at the Pictorial. Each trying to secure the most members.

## CAMP CABEL VETERANS TO MEET SATURDAY

Members of Camp Cabel, United Confederate Veterans, will meet in a call session, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock to complete arrangements for their trip to the Old Soldiers Reunion at Memphis, Tenn. All who are going are invited to meet with the veterans that afternoon.



## AUTOMOBILE SHOW CARNIVAL FEATURE

LOCAL AGENTS WILL EXHIBIT  
CARS—SHOW TO ARRIVE  
SUNDAY, OPENS MONDAY

One of the main features of the Geo. J. Loos shows is the automobile show which is to be held in connection with the regular entertainment of the week. The company carries full equipment for the auto show and is adding this to the attractions here to arouse interest in the automobile show to be held at the county fair this fall.

Automobile salesmen will display cars as follows: Bob Crews, Buick; Robinson Motor Company, Studebaker; McFall Brothers, Dodge; Napier Bros, Ford; Overland Sales and Service, an Overland and a Willys-Knight; Maxwell Sales and Service, Maxwell and Chrysler. Along with the cars, oils, tires and other accessories will be shown by local men, making it a complete automobile show.

The Geo. J. Loos shows are due to arrive with 25 cars Sunday afternoon and will be ready to open for the first performance, Monday evening at 6 o'clock. G. R. Spencer, advance agent for the company, states that the show has had an exceptionally good season this year and that much enjoyment has been added to make it a larger and better show than ever before.

The amusement company will be here for one week starting Monday and the funds raised by the entertainment will go to a fund to erect a new grand stand at the fair park for the June races.

### "Merry Old Chief" Kansas City Night Hawks To Be Here

The "Merry Old Chief" is coming.

How many times have you tuned in at 40 meters and caught "Time In Kansas City Star Night Hawks." The enemies of sleep, broadcasting their regular 11:45 Night Hawk program?

The first time you caught this program, you doubtless voted it the most interesting and entertaining of all the various programs that are broadcast over the United States, as have thousands of others of radio fans.

"Now Brother and Sister Night Hawks, we are going to have a little music." And then comes the jazz of the Night Hawks' radio orchestra from one of the great Kansas City hotels, broadcast through the great station of the Kansas City Star.

The voice you have heard so many times announcing these programs and taking you, perhaps, into membership with the Night Hawks, is that of the "Merry Old Chief."

In Canada, in Mexico, in the South Sea Islands and all over the United States, there are members of this great organization who have been inducted into the order, with the rattle of cow bells, or the "Holstein Angelus" as the "Merry Old Chief" calls it. Thousands of people all over America and in the countries named are wondering who this man is and what he looks like. It has remained for the Redpath-Hornor Chautauquas to introduce this mysterious gentleman in person over their Premier Chautauqua Circuit to the patrons of the Chautauqua.

The "Merry Old Chief" will appear in each town on the Premier Circuit in a very interesting program, in which he will tell how radio broadcasting is done, relating many of the humorous and interesting experiences that he has had, and being assisted by the radio entertainers, an orchestra playing the latest and most popular numbers that are being broadcast by radio orchestras all over America.

This is the most novel feature appearing on any Chautauqua program in America this year and is an event of interest to everyone everywhere. Do not miss it.

He will be here at the Chautauqua.

#### G. K. W. Club Meets.

The G. K. W.'s met with Miss Beatrice Booth last Saturday afternoon, May 17, with the club well represented. New plans were brought before the body of members and agreed upon, and prospective members were discussed. Delicious cream and cake were served at the usual hour, and everyone is looking forward to the next meeting.

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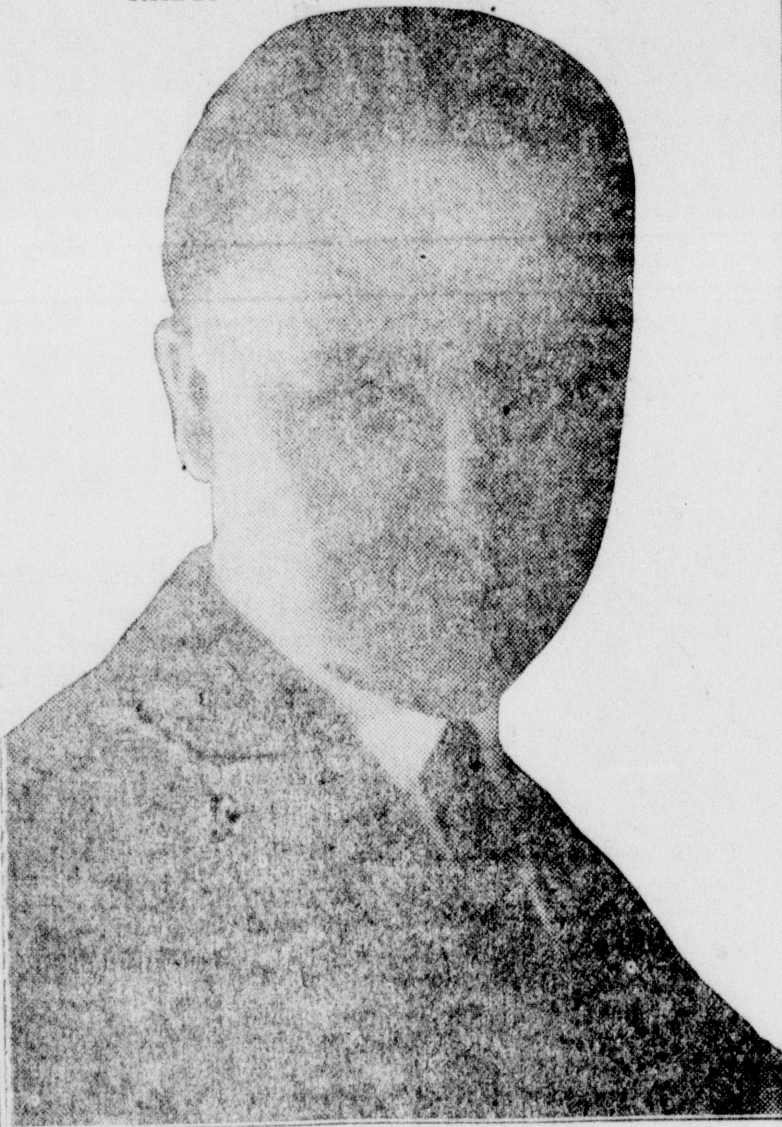
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### "The Man That Life Passed By" Coming To The Pictorium

"The Man That Life Passed By," is coming to the Pictorium Monday and Tuesday.

It is the story of a man whose bitterness in heart against life is changed by a woman to love, and the woman is the daughter of his enemy. But this happens only after the girl's young brother barely escapes the penalty of her father's wrong against the man whose invention he stole.

A peculiar coincidence is that the Norak sisters have the roles of sisters in the photoplay. Jane the older, and Eva the younger. Mr. Marmon is "the man passed by life," and Hobart Bosworth is "Iron Man" Moore, the girl's father. Cullen Landis has the role of Moore's secretary, who is in love with the younger sister.

Particularly exciting is the raid on the "Spotted Dog," where Moore's younger daughter has taken on her guests, after her father's secretary put an end to the darling frolic at her home. The raid sends the distracted girl fleeing into the arms of her father's enemy, and the scenes that follow will grip every spectator. The climax occurs when the repentant man goes to "Iron Man" Moore's home to ask for justice, and is shot down. But of course the tangle is happily straightened in the end.

One of the most effective sequences in the picture is the Roman Revel given by the younger sister. The garden is decorated to resemble an arena, and the guests are all attired in the togas and draperies of the days of Nero and Titus. A chariot race is run around the "course" with the young

men of the party acting as horses. Last showing today of "Forgive and Forget." Wives who like to flirt, husbands who are indifferent, men who take married women to supper—you'll all learn something from this picture!

#### RED RIVER NEWS.

This community was visited by a sad storm Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Killet spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Thelma Bingham.

Mrs. P. H. Bingham spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Grady Bingham.

Those who were in Vernon Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bingham, and daughter, Orel, T. A. Hamilton and family, H. P. Killet, Mrs. Nora Cook and children, Harve Adams, Cass Shaw and Grady Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sargeon McDougal and children spent Sunday with H. N. McDougal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. McDougal and children attended church at Odell Sunday night.

H. O. Beverly and son, Currie, have been helping H. N. McDougal in his hay.

Mrs. Nora F. Cook spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. M. E. McDougal.

Thelma Kilbough left Sunday for Denton where she will attend school this summer. She has been teaching school in Wise county.

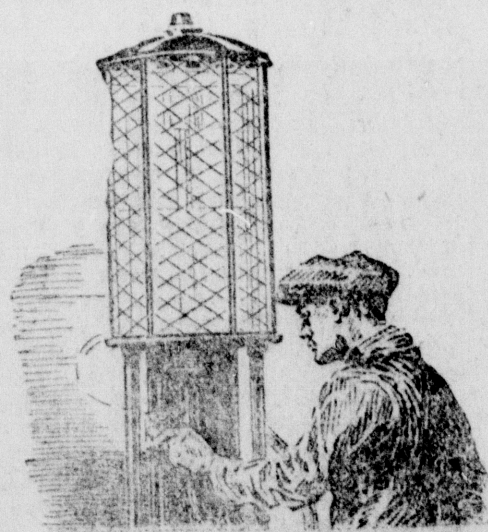
#### DENVER TRAIN SCHEDULE.

**Northbound.**  
Train 1 will arrive at 3:07 p. m.  
Train 3 will arrive at 5:25 p. m.  
Train 7 will arrive at 5:20 a. m.  
**Southbound.**  
Train 2 will arrive at 12:25 p. m.  
Train 4 will arrive at 7:00 a. m.  
Train 2 will arrive at 12:55 a. m.

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## Fargo Celebrates With Three Programs Commencement Week

The closing exercises of the Fargo schools were held Tuesday night when a delightful comedy drama, "Zuaragueta," was presented by the students. Monday night, the senior class address and commencement exercises were held. Miss Murrel Olive and Richard Coffee were graduates from the grammar schools at this time.

L. A. Hollar, county superintendent, gave the address, and Rushen S. Hanking, principal of the schools, presented the diplomas.

Sunday, Rev. E. L. Moore of Vernon preached the baccalaureate sermon. Dr. R. E. Dickenson of Vernon gave the class address Monday night.

The following program was given Saturday night:

Duet, Under Marching Orders—Francis Sweatman, Lillian Mason. Welcome—Sarah Huff. Class Address—Supt. L. A. Hollar.

Presentation of Diplomas. Humoresque—Frances Sweatman. Song—"The Ginger Cat." When I Am Big—Freeman Casleberry.

The Rose—Ora Huff. Song—"The Robin and the Chicken." Battle of the Stars—Lillian Mason.

Dialogue—"The Fox and the Hunters." Recitation—Lella Lovelace.

Winter Pleasures—Louise Richardson.

Duet, Flag Day March—Ora Huff and Lillian Mason.

Dolly's Prayer—Lula Lovelace. Drill—Primary Pupils.

Robin's Return—Frances Sweatman.

All Memories—Miss Chambers' Girls.

In Fond Remembrance—Lillian Mason.

Recitation—Fern Lovelace.

Duet, March Mignonne—Mrs. D. L. Lovelace and Louise Richardson.

Song—High School Choral Club. Chorus Bells—Louise Richardson.

Duet, Les Spelphs—Ethel and Frances Sweatman.

Bob Ligscomb of Kansas City, was in Vernon Wednesday on business.

## MISS MCCARROLL TO PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL

Miss Enid McCarroll will present the following pupils in a piano recital at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, May 27 at 8:15 o'clock: Anna Showers, Corrine Pigg, Carrie Frances Taylor, Dorothy Rogers, Louise Brown, Josephine Killough, Evelyn Rogers, Magnolia Williams, Josephine Flaniken, Lorena Morris, Mary Nichols, Annabel Robertson, Christine Lewis, Ruth Sneath, Loraine Sneath, Edna Ladd, Frances Davis, Virginia Sewell, Beatrice Hudson, Pauline Ball, Mary Frances Coffee, Milla Eggleston, Dorothea Schindler, Robbie Flaniken, Nina Ruth Terrell, Christine Keltz.

## DR. STILL TO ATTEND ANNUAL COLLEGE MEETING

Dr. H. T. Still leaves tomorrow for Kirksville, Mo., where he will attend the fiftieth annual commencement exercises of the Still College of Osteopathy. He will be gone one week. Dr. Still is the oldest graduate of the school and oldest practicing osteopath in America. He is a son of the founder of osteopathy.

#### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express to each and everyone our deep appreciation of their kindness and help during the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father.  
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#### EL RENO NEWS.

Miss Earn Wilkenson spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilkenson.

Miss Ada Lalk and Elmer Roafings of Elreata visited Miss Bertha Lutz Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Atkins and daughters and Misses Lurline and Flora Marshall attended the singing convention at Odell Sunday.

Glynn Farmer of this community received his diploma at the Harrold high school Friday.

Miss Pattie Love visited Miss Mary Dones of Elliott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kohl, A. G. and Tonie Kohl were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. D. Jarvis, who is ill with the pneumonia at her sister's home at Vernon, is slightly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Johnson

made a business trip to Vernon Tuesday evening.

Misses Louise and Bertha Lutz, Hattie and Tonie Kohl and A. G. Kohl, took a pleasant trip to Oklahoma Sunday.

Mrs. Hue Ross of Elreata visited in the home of Bob Marshall Tuesday.

Mrs. G. Gault of Elreata visited friends and relatives in this community Wednesday.

Those that attended Mothers' Day at Elliott Sunday from this community were Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Leudtke, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Houtchins, Mr. and Mrs. Osker Noyes, Elsie Lutz, Pattie Lowe, Thelma and Glynn Parmley and Charlie Reeks.

Mrs. J. Houtchins of Harrold visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. H. Houtchins Tuesday.

Miss Opal Noyes attended the pie supper at Guyer Friday night.

Miss Lydia Wilkenson spent last week with friends in the Beaver creek community.

Miss Christine McEans visited Miss Gussie and Odessie Jarvis Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Carter visited Mrs. Fred Houtchins Monday evening. Little Miss Annie May Kohl is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Leudtke were business visitors in Vernon Monday.

V. L. Whitworth, of Wichita Falls, was in Vernon Wednesday on business.

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## WILBARGER CROPS ARE LOOKING GOOD

### HEAT AND OTHER SMALL GRAIN NEED SHOWERS— ROW CROPS GOOD

Trop conditions in Wilbarger county are very favorable this morning with the small grain looking well. The cotton that has been planted, for the most part, is coming up nicely but growth has been retarded by the cold waves that swept the country at regular intervals for the past thirty days. In and other feed stuffs, is not doing as well as desired, but a delay in growth is due, to a great extent, to the cold weather. A rain that have not a good season in the ground for this year, has made the small grain grow slowly and the general belief of farmers is that only a few showers are needed to mature the crop. Too much rain at this time of the year causes the wheat to rot, but some farmers seem to think that the 1924 crop will not be as good as last year's. The wheat and the corn are in good start and the rains so far have not been heavy enough to hurt the wheat too rank in growth.

Cotton on the tight land is up and doing nicely but is in need of little more moisture to give it a good start. Cotton on the sandy soil is up and for the most part is doing much better than the cotton on the tight land. This is not true, however, in all parts of the county, as some of the cotton in the eastern part of the county on the tight land is large enough to be cultivated. Corn over the county is about the same and is not in need of much more rain. In the past instances, it is on five or six inches and in some cases has been worked out once, this year. Other stuff is in a very good condition.

### UNION NEWS.

Union school will close for this year on Friday, May 23. There will be a program given by the school children on that night. The school is cordially invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Jones of town visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Arington, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dees were stopping in Vernon Friday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. Edmonson of Vernon spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clorida and the daughter, Ruth, attended church in Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker are proud parents of a fine boy born last Sunday.

Misses Obera and Lucile May, Hollis Owens, Pearl Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb, attended the Lockett school picnic Friday. Misses Lillian and Lena Marshall and Faye Edmonson of Vernon, and Bessie Lee O'Connell, spent the day Sunday with Miss Lillian Wheeler.

The Farm Labor Union of America met last Wednesday night. They met Wednesday night of every week. They are going to try and have an able speaker out to speak on the night of the 28. Everybody come.

Misses Vera and Lorene Cox visited Leona Arrington, Friday. Nearly every one from this community attended the closing program at Lockett Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clorida attended the concert by the Vaughn concert at Lockett Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stephens were Vernon visitors Saturday.

J. L. Combs and H. G. Childress were visitors in the Brown community Sunday.

### PLEASANT VALLEY NEWS.

Among those attending church at Odell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bell and daughter, Virginia Francis. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bratcher and daughters.

The Pleasant Valley school closed Friday, May 23. Mrs. C. G. Thompson and daughter, Mary Alice, of Vernon, spent the past week with their son and daughter, Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carra Adams spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ballard.

Odell visitors for the week were: Mr. Kester, H. L. Haynes, T. J. Watson, H. A. Bell, P. H. Bringham, E. C. Bratcher, J. H. Adams, Ed. Watson, Lord Bell, Elord Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonreign McDougal of Odell, visited Mrs. Nora Cook Sunday afternoon.

Several from here attended the play given at the Odell High school auditorium Friday evening. Those who motored to Vernon Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams and children, Eric Nell and Aubra, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bratcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bell, Misses Myrtle and Vera Cook, Fida and Juanita Bratcher, Mrs. Elord Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Carra Adams, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bringham, R. C. Bell.

While returning from Vernon

### EL RENO NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kohl spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walbeck of Wichita Falls.

Miss Inez Atkins spent Friday night with Miss Anna Birchfield of Elliott.

Misses Eva Nettles, Bertha and Louise Lutz attended the graduation exercises at Odell Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Leutwyler visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leutwyler of Farns Sunday.

Joe Corder and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenderson.

Geo. Lutz and Guss Schumann made a business trip to Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Atkins and family attended Sunday school at Grace Sunday morning and singing there Sunday night.

The El Reno school came to a close Friday after a very successful term. Little Guss Schumann won a prize for being the most perfect pupil this term.

Miss Ruby Carter and Miss Bertha Atkins spent Saturday night with Miss Lillian Marshall and attended the play at Harold Saturday night.

Mrs. Osker Noyes was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Birch, of El Dorado, this week, who is very ill.

Mrs. R. E. Wilkerson visited in the home of her son, A. B. Wilkerson, of Guver, last week.

Those who attended church at Elliott Sunday night from this community were Mrs. R. B. Wilkerson, Mrs. Cliff Gabor and son, Cliff, Ruth Houtchens, Lydia Gabor, Wilkerson, Elsie Bertha, and Louise Lutz, Flora Marshall and Orville D. Noyes.

Little Misses Vesta and Estel Goss of Elliott spent Tuesday with Olea and Olea Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Houtchens spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Statutes of Wichita Falls Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Hattie and Tania Kohl were shopping in El Reno Saturday afternoon.

C. B. Jarvis and daughter, Gus, were business visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

### Cards of Thanks.

I wish to thank the friends of my family who have been so kind to send me cards and letters during my stay in the Vernon High School and I wish especially to thank those who have taken an active part in trying to keep me here in the school. I have enjoyed my teaching here and I am glad to leave my dear friends and many friends. I realize that there are many who are responsible for the help taken in my release.

COACHMAN R. B. CLARK.

Fred Stett of Lockett was in Vernon yesterday on business.

Dr. R. E. Dickenson returned this week from Dallas where he has been in conference with educational leaders of the Southern Methodist University.

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### CHILLICOTHE DELPHIANS GUESTS AT LUNCHEON

The Delphi club of Chillicothe were entertained Wednesday afternoon with a lovely luncheon by the Vernon Delphians, at the home of Miss Esther Swartwood of Texas.

The scheme of decoration was carried out in the club colors of pink and white and the guests were served at small tables. Covers were laid for forty guests and at each cover a beautiful pink rose was placed. End vases containing roses in white and pink were on the tables.

The favors were hand-painted colonial dolls and their dress skirts revealed the first of the place cards were in colonial doll design.

The second course consisted of pressed chicken, perfection salad, cream peas in butter sauce, stuffed potatoes, hot rolls, ice tea, followed by light ice cream and white cake with pink icing.

Mrs. Y. H. Babish, president of the club welcomed the visitors and Mrs. J. M. Rutherford, president of the Chillicothe club, voiced her appreciation of the hospitality of the Vernon club.

Mrs. Eugene Keltz, president of the County Federation told of the club convention at Lubbock, Texas, last week.

Mrs. Pearl Curry of Wichita Falls, who had been visiting J. M. Knapp and family with Miss Elsie McCarroll at the campsite, sang two songs, Mrs. R. T. Lutz and Mrs. Leon H. Brown gave readings, Mrs. R. M. Stokes sang and Miss W. N. Stokes gave a piano trio.

After the luncheon, the guests were taken for a visit to Vernon's Modern Home and Hillcrest Country club.

The following Chillicothe guests were present: Misses J. M. Rutherford, T. S. Gibbs, Cole, Montgomery, Carlock, McLennan, Little, Stevens, Wofford, Wilson, Farris, Bailey, Williams.

Barn Bourland, who has been in Wichita Falls for the past year, returned to Vernon this week to resume his residence here.

Misses Hattie and Tania Kohl were shopping in El Reno Saturday afternoon.

C. B. Jarvis and daughter, Gus, were business visitors in Vernon Tuesday.

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### FIFTEEN COMMUNITY KITCHENS ARE BUILT

Women's home demonstration clubs in Collin County, Texas, have accomplished outstanding results this past year, especially in food preservation work and in projects calling for community cooperation. One important reason for their success is undoubtedly the fact that the county has had the same extension agent, Mrs. Viola McGee, for the past four years. She has been unusually successful in impressing club members with the value of home demonstration work in creating community consciousness and pride in securing effective local leaders, and in obtaining carefully kept records and reports.

At the Collin County Fair 27 home demonstration clubs had booths, each club exhibiting 85 containers of meats, vegetables, and fruits in addition to other products. A total of 400,336 containers was recorded for the clubs at the entire county. Fifteen new community houses costing \$2,583.78 were built and sold for by club members, and equipped with equipment costing \$3,140.85. The Bloomdale Club in this county had a community Christmas tree last year, and sent 100 jars of fruit to the State orphan's home for a Christmas gift. Many other accomplishments which indicate the spirit of loyal cooperation existing throughout the county have been reported to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Barny Knight, of Dallas, and former Vernon resident, attended the Retail Coal Dealers' Convention here this week.

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- Everfast Basket Crepe in all the solid colors at ..... 75c

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### THESE "ONE-MAN" COURT DECISIONS

Much is being said at this time concerning the so-called evil of permitting the Supreme Court of the United States to declare acts of Congress unconstitutional by bare majority vote, that is to say, five to four, there being nine members of the court. Senator La Follette and some of his adherents are advocating a constitutional amendment prohibiting such decisions by giving the Congress the right to override the decisions of the Supreme Court with reference to constitutionality of acts passed by Congress. Still other reformers, self-styled, would change the constitution so as to require at least six judges to concur in an opinion before any law could be declared unconstitutional.

The founders of the Republic ordained that there should be three separate branches of the Government and conferred certain duties upon each branch. It is somewhat interesting to note that the legislative branch, or rather those who compose it, in their latter days, seem to be the only ones very much concerned about constitutional limitations upon their power. Not satisfied with efforts on the part of the Senate to usurp the functions of the executive in the determination of foreign policies and the writing of treaties, this group is now demanding that Congress shall have the right to take over the functions of the judiciary. Most people whose thinking is not colored with radicalism will agree that it was an act of unusual wisdom on the part of the framers of the constitution to vest the judiciary with the authority to interpret the constitution as the supreme law of the land. They must have foreseen the possibility of an era of legislative monstrosities and of efforts to set aside fundamentals of free government, just as we are now passing through. Sanity and common sense were never so rare in Washington as it is at the present time, and the Supreme Court is about the only barrier between the people and the foolishness of Congress.

As a matter of fact, however, very few acts of Congress have been declared unconstitutional by five-to-four decisions of the Supreme Court. In fact, only eight times in the history of the country has this happened.

If a law passes Congress by a margin of one vote, no one is foolish enough to argue that it is a one-man law. Yet those who chafe under the authority of the Supreme Court call five-to-four decisions one-man decisions which set aside the will of Congress. What these people want is not majority rule of the people. It would be nearer the truth to say what they really desire is majority rule working through some group or block of loose-thinking persons who get more inspiration from reading Lenin and Trotsky than they do from Washington, Franklin, Jefferson and Lincoln.

### THE UNIVERSITY ROW.

The controversy between ex-students of the University of Texas and the board of regents following the election of Governor Neff as president seems likely to develop a situation that will not be productive of any good for the institution, notwithstanding the Governor's refusal to accept the place.

If The Record understands the position of those who have seen fit to criticize the regents, it is not due to any lack of appreciation of Mr. Neff as a Governor or a political leader, but rather the objection is based on the belief that no man whose chief claim to distinction lies in his accomplishments as a politician, should be chosen head of the University. Gov. Neff had

the good judgment to decline the offer, but the action of the regents in rendering him the place has given rise to the fear that the regents are giving undue weight to political considerations in their efforts to secure a successor to Dr. Vinson. There seems to be ample justification for this fear. Governor Neff's election was not the only manifestation of an inclination to give politics unusual weight in the selection of a president. The regents virtually laid down the proposition that none but a Democrat should be chosen, and more recent statements indicate that the regents feel in duty bound to give the place to a Texan.

There is no objection to a member of the Democratic party being chosen as president. Neither could any one object to the election of a Texan. But the president of the University should first of all be a great educator and possessed of the executive ability to enable him to render a distinguished service at the University. Whether he is a Democrat or a Republican and whether he is a Texan or a resident of some other State should be very minor considerations.

For the good of the University it is to be hoped that these fears are ill-founded and that the regents may soon be able to find a suitable man to fill Dr. Vinson's place. To prolong the present condition of uncertainty, attended as it is, by an unending controversy between the regents and former students is to do the University an irreparable injury.

### NATURAL GAS PROBABILITY.

The discovery of a strong gas pressure in the Church well last week opens the possibility of securing natural gas in Vernon in the near future. This is the third well in which good gas pressure has been found near Vernon in the past few years and indicates that there is a large gas-bearing area in the territory south of the city.

The gas in the Castlebury well was shut in, following the failure to develop that territory any further several years ago. The same thing was done with the Texas Company well on the Waggoner ranch, several miles east of the Church well, and it may be assumed that these two sources of supply are still available. If other gas wells should be opened up in this territory, there is no good reason why the fact should not be piped into Vernon. There is already a sufficient amount of gas in the field to supply Vernon, and the only thing to be determined is whether these wells really open up a gas field or only drilled into gas pockets.

Quite naturally, this question must be settled before any concern can be induced to make the investment necessary to bring the gas into the city and pipe the city itself. As soon as the extent of the gas field can be determined a concerted effort on the part of the people should be put forth to get some company interested in furnishing gas.

No greater boon could come to the people of Vernon than to be able to secure natural gas at reasonable rates. It is an ideal fuel, and with the advantage of a cheap, dependable supply of fuel, Vernon would grow as it has never grown before.

When a community row is going on it is a pretty safe guess that somebody has been doing some thinking—but the thinkers are not necessarily those who make the most noise.

To show how unreasonable some people are, you occasionally can find a person who doesn't like Texas.

Governor Neff could go to a woman's club meeting at Clondroft, N. M., or attend the McAdoo convention in Waco next week, and he chose the latter.

If the regents want to get a Democrat and a Texan, and a fundamentalist for president of the University, they might try Jim Ferguson.

Ell Svendsen says playing golf is a great strain on the veracity of the average man.

### ELLIOTT NEWS.

Rev. R. B. Cox filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

The Elliott Community Band was kept rather busy the last week with two nights practice and Thursday night at Oklaunion and again Saturday night at Harrold.

Next Friday, May 23, there will be a picnic on the river three miles north of Elliott. The public is cordially invited to come, eat and have big time.

L. H. Grenger and family of Mineral Wells visited her father,

E. J. Boaz, Saturday and Sunday. The Vaughn quartet gave a program here Friday night. Every one enjoyed the singing here.

Walter Kirk and wife of Harrold visited Mrs. Kirk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Rainwater here Sunday.

S. K. Kirk and wife took dinner with H. W. Jackson and wife Sunday.

Ed Whirlow and family visited in the A. P. Mason home Sunday. T. E. Burchfield and family visited John Pearcey and wife of Tolbert Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth Rainwater and Berice Hayes visited Miss Willie Hutchins Sunday.

Misses Lydia Wilkenson, Mamie Raines, Messrs. Guber Wilkenson, Bristo Rainwater, Olin Raines, J. P. Aderholt and family, and A. T. Lemon and family were dinner guests in the R. G. Goss home Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Pulliam was a guest of her son and daughter, Otis Pulliam, of Guyer and Mrs. L. B. Lattrell last week.

Quite a number attended the school exercises at both Oklaunion and Harrold.

Madams Chas. Taylor and Oscar Noyes left Sunday morning for Floydada to be at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. E. A. Birch, who submitted to an operation at that place Friday.

Elbin Dockery of Tolbert was here Saturday, closing the contract for the school for another year. Clyde Matthews spent Saturday night with the Burchfield boys.

Miss Inez Adkins visited Miss Ann Burchfield Friday afternoon.

The families of E. R. White, J. M. Lattrell and Joe Corner visited P. H. Henderson and wife Sunday. Sunday school day was observed last Sunday at the Methodist church. The children's program was a success in every respect.

Those who visited in the F. H. Henderson home last Sunday were W. M. Tombs, wife and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Tombs, all of Odell, J. W. Tombs and daughters, Mrs. Beckwell and little daughters, Alice of Fort Worth, Grandpa and Grandma Lattrell of Harrold, Joe Corner and family of El Reno, E. H. White and family of Harrold, Ralph White of Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lattrell, E. N. Yerby and family.

### WILDCAT NEWS.

her daughter's home.

Mrs. Arthur Nunn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kirkpatrick, and her sister, Mrs. O. C. Barton at Chillicothe, last week.

Ernest Clonson is very low with pneumonia.

Jim Clonson, from White Flat, and sister, Mrs. Roscoe Wiseman, of the Kincheole community, were called to the bedside of their brother, Ernest Clonson, who is not expected to live.

Marion Gossett of Taylor visited L. G. Lattrell last Thursday on his way back home. Mr. Gossett and Mr. Lattrell were school boys together at Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Mote spent the day with Mrs. Glover and Mrs. Everett Scott Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jeffcoats of Lamesa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moore last week.

Joel Bolton and children of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nunn, last Sunday.

Bruce Mitchell of Houston visited

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney 45th Judicial District:

JOHN A. STOREY

For County Judge:

O. T. WARLOCK

For County Tax Collector:

MRS. C. M. BLAIR

H. L. COLEMAN

C. D. GREENE

For County Clerk:

J. W. BROCK, JR. (re-election)

For County Tax Assessor:

FRED NEWTH

D. M. FERREBEE

R. V. PARR

R. R. BROOKS

For County Sheriff:

W. FRANK EDMONSON, (re-election.)

H. G. WALL

J. D. KEY

For County Attorney:

O. O. MURPHY

For County Treasurer:

MRS. JOHN W. BUSTER

W. C. ALDERMAN, (re-election.)

For District Clerk:

MRS. J. A. WALKER (re-election.)

For County Superintendent:

THOS. E. PIERCE

L. A. HOLLAR (second term.)

For Public Weigher:

M. L. WALKER

L. A. (ALEX) EDMONSON

H. N. (Newt) FROST

G. W. (George) JORDAN

J. L. (Joe) SNEED (re-election.)

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:

A. M. BOURLAND, (re-election.)

W. M. JUDD

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:

W. G. McDONALD

T. J. MILLNER

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3:

S. L. PAGE

C. P. HAMILTON

J. M. REYNOLDS

H. N. BROOKS

H. E. KEY

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:

E. COBB, (re-election.)

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:

T. J. GRIFFITHS

W. M. BLACKWOOD

W. D. HOLLARS

ed I. G. Lattrell and Benton Lattrell, Friday night.

The Literary society met Friday night and gave a good program. It will meet again May 30 for the last meeting until fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore were in town last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Lattrell were guests at a birthday dinner last Sunday at the W. C. Lattrell home at Hill Crest, and certainly did enjoy a fine dinner.

Miss Helen Richey was in Vernon Saturday evening.

### MEMORIAL DAY FLOWERS FOR SOLDIERS GRAVES

On Memorial Day, Friday May 30th, in honor of the soldier dead of all wars, the American Legion will conduct a short service at East View Cemetery, and decorate the grave of every veteran of the Civil, Spanish-American and World Wars.

Believing the people of Vernon will consider it a privilege to contribute the flowers for such an occasion, we wish them to have the opportunity. Those desiring to furnish flowers are requested to bring them to the Chamber of Commerce in the Library Building, Thursday evening or by 9:00 o'clock Friday morning. A wreath is preferable, but any kind of flowers are acceptable.

Ex-service men will leave Chamber of Commerce for cemetery at 10:00 a. m. Relatives of deceased veterans and the public are invited to attend the short service. All relatives are requested to immediately report location of service men's graves to Frank Hood at Brunson & Williams.

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### MRS. G. A. BROWN IS HERE FOR A VISIT

Mrs. G. A. Brown, pioneer club woman of Vernon, now of Blackwell, Okla., came yesterday for a visit with her son, Leon H. Brown. Mrs. Brown is a prominent clubwoman of Texas and Oklahoma and a noted writer of feature stories. Yamparika, the mother club of this city, was organized by Mrs. Brown in 1897. She and her husband, the late Judge Brown, who was district judge here for several years, came to Vernon to make their home when Wilbarger was a frontier county. The site of their old home is a part of Allingham park presented by the Home Science club to the city and the street directly south of the park is named for the pioneer club, Yamparika.

### Central Christian Church.

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship, 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "Going On To Perfection."

Evening service will be dismissed so we can attend the union service where a memorial sermon will be preached in special recognition of the American Legion.

LEWIS P. KOPP.

Mrs. Loneta Cessna, who has been teaching school at Thrift, has arrived for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lacey of Hinds. She will teach again at Thrift next year.

Mrs. D. M. Norwood and daughter, Miss Louise, of Bridgeport, are the guests of Mrs. Norwood's sister, Mrs. J. D. Peeler.

Mrs. C. V. King and little son, Murray, left today for Lawton, Okla., where they will visit relatives and friends and attend the army maneuvers, Monday at Fort Sill.

### P. D. CHANEY TO HOLD JUDGING EXAMINATIONS

P. D. Chaney, county agent, has notified all club boys in Wilbarger county that an elimination examination will be held here tomorrow afternoon, and that the four boys making the best grades will be taken as a stock judging team to Childress, June 14, to take part in the annual district stock judging contest. About 25 counties will have teams in the meet and the best boy stock judges in North Texas will take part. This is a part of the national move that has been in progress for several years, to arouse interest in better livestock among the farm boys of the nation.

### MISS BERTHA SNEED AND W. C. LONG ARE MARRIED

W. C. Long of Oklaunion and Miss Bertha Sneed, were married Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock by T. J. Griffiths, justice of the peace, at his office in the court house. They will make their home on his farm, five miles north of Oklaunion.

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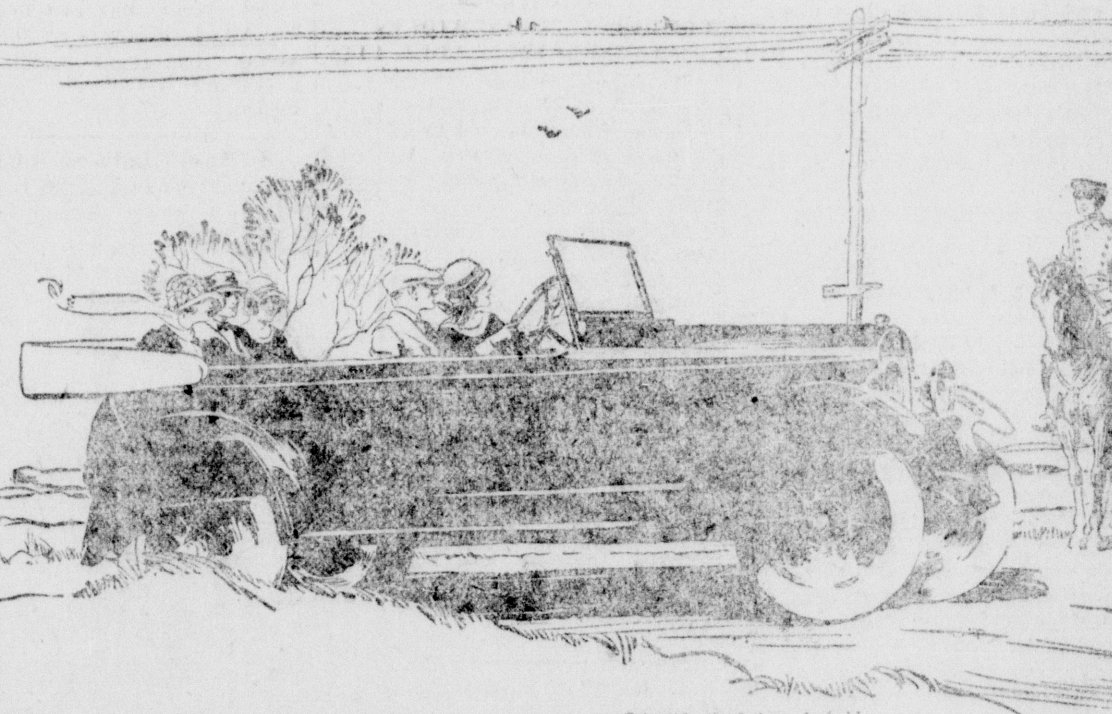
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## BOWERS READY FOR BIG FIGHT MONDAY

KID SNYDER ALSO READY— EXPECTS TO ADD ANOTHER KNOCK OUT.

Dick Bowers, local pugilist who is to meet Kid Snyder, of Burk Burnett, at the National Guard Armory Monday night in a ten-round exhibition of the glove art, is in the pink of condition after a grueling week of hard workouts. He has been doing from ten to fifteen rounds every afternoon and has met some of the hardest fighters in this section in his workouts. These young men are trying to get into the big ring and fight very hard against Bowers who plays with them as he would a man with a ring title.

To watch one of the afternoon parties, as they are coming to be called by the young men, one would think he was in the training quarters of the gladiators. The fighting that takes place is hard and is of the K. O. nature for often times the youngsters go to the canvas to listen to the birds sing after Bowers has connected one of his mighty left fists. Before the heavy fights start a casual onlooker would think the men were aesthetic dancers from the way in which they jump the rope, swing the clubs and carry out the other forms of warming up exercises.

Word has reached here from Burk Burnett, informing the local pugilist that he had better buy some flowers for Kid Snyder is in the pink and ready for a K. O. to be added to his list.

### TURNING WASTE

INTO WEALTH  
(By Phoebe K. Warner)

There is a lot being said these days about conserving our natural resources. And we often wonder just what that means. What are our natural resources? The air is one I guess, and the rain is another and the soil and the trees and the gas and oil and everything that God gives us without working for it. But none of the things reach their highest state of efficiency without the touch of the human hand to bring them together in the form of food and clothing and shelter.

But there is still another natural resource in our State and nation that to us seems worth more than all the rest. And without this last resource there would be little need for any of the others in just a few years. And we are wondering how much time and how much thought the country at large is giving to the conservation of our BOYS. Just our BOYS. When we are counting up our profit and loss to the nation in the matter of conserving our natural resources how often do we place the right value on a boy's life?

When we are building our schools and colleges how often do we study the real needs of the boys in the community and then build schools to fit the boys of today and their needs of tomorrow. And how often do we study just our tax records and our pocket-books to consult our financial feeling rather than the needs of the 20th century boys and then build our schools to fit our out-of-date ideas of boys instead of giving every boy in this land a chance to be all that is in him?

It is almost summer time again. School is coming to a close for the year in almost every district in the State. But even before one year of school is past the next year must be planned. Our schools are county problems. You do not have to wait on the State or the Federal Government to do things to make our schools what they ought to be. The schools in every county are going to be just what the people in each county want them to be had enough to make them come up to their ideals. A few years ago the boys in our State were given so little thought that a great majority of them dropped out of school. Graduating classes came and went without a boy in them. And seldom ever did the boys equal in number the girls. What was the matter? Was the trouble with the boys or the school?

We leave that for you to answer for yourself. The source of the trouble must have been in the home because the school belongs to the people and the people ought to say what they want in a school and then put it there. But the boys could save more money in their youth than girls. Therefore they were allowed to go to work earlier. If there was a vacancy in the earning power of the family the boy was supposed to fill it. Anyway, what could girls do without a high school education to help support the family? Boys have been imposed on financially by their own folks.

Another reason and a good reason why more girls stayed in school than boys was because more things were provided in the school courses that fit girls than boys. Nearly every high school has music for its girls. What does it have in the place of it for the boys? And many schools have had art for the girls. And of more recent years domestic science has been provided in our schools for girls. But just what does the average high school have even to this day of special interest to boys and their work and their life? Answer—ATHLETICS!

Athletics is holding more boys in school today than any one study in the whole course. And we are glad because by staying in school for the joy of athletics a lot of boys are supplanting the greatest computation and gaining valuable knowledge that they can and will use when there is no chance for them to play that ball. But boys deserve more than athletics in their school courses. Besides athletics does not reach all the boys. Athletics as a rule soon eliminates all but the stars and the great group of boys get little athletics. But they have to be in the school where other boys are doing things if they do nothing but "hoorah and holler" for their school mates.

But there is a work offered by our State and nation to every high school and every rural school that will help pay for it that ought to be installed in every school where ever there is a class of boys. It is the Smith-Hughes work. Agriculture, poultry, seed testing, farm shop work, manual training, dairying and everything that leads a boy out to do his own thinking. Turn a boy loose with some tools and watch his mind grow. Watch his constructive nature expand. Who knows how many great inventors have gone through your school for a few years and dropped out never to be discovered because there is nothing in your school to bring out or electrify the genius hidden in your boys? A few weeks ago we saw an exhibit of tools made from the old iron of a Ford car. Thirty-five useful tools made from waste material. And a group of the proudest and proudest boys standing around to tell you how it was done. The boys were the farm shop class of the West Texas State Teachers College of Canyon, Texas. The tools were the products of their heads and hands. Think of the money and time such knowledge will save those boys in the years to come. And that was just one lesson in turning waste into profit. If they can pick up an old piece of iron and turn it into a useful tool they will be looking for something useful in everything they see. They will be able to take an old worn-out farm some day and turn it into a good one. Another boy picked up an old cedar chest and proceeded to saw it out and put it together. And in a few hours he had transformed a piece of wood that most of us would have burned into a beautiful and useful piece of furniture.

Is such education worth giving to the boys? Are the boys worth it? Our BOYS are our greatest natural resource. But there are more boys' brains and talents and genius and power to do good going to waste in our nation this very day than anything else. And the most of us, even their own fathers and mothers, sit quietly by and let our boys go to waste.

### JACKSON SPRINGS.

Fifty-six were present Sunday at Sunday school.

Quite a number was out to sing the Sunday afternoon.

For Borne, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Borne, is quite ill with oak poisoning at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pickett Sunday.

Ed Jarvis is hauling alfalfa hay this week.

Jackson Springs school will close May 30. The school is giving an entertainment. Everyone is invited to come.

A party was given by Miss Selvia Jarvis Tuesday night. Quite a number were present and all enjoyed a nice time.

Mrs. Clarence Borne, Mrs. Harvey Kary and Mrs. A. C. Brown were on Wanders Creek fishing Monday afternoon and reported a fine catch of fish.

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### Dallas Couple Marry Here.

Daniel G. Ruggles and Miss Cecile Bonds of Dallas were married here Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock by T. J. Griffiths, justice of the peace at his office in the court house. They will live in Dallas.

### Entertains Tuesday Club.

Members of the Tuesday Bridge club and other guests will be entertained Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Clint Swartwood.

Mrs. Edgar Phipps, who has been quite ill for the past week, is recovering.

B. F. Morgan, of Falls City, Nebraska, was in Vernon Wednesday on business.

C. A. Allingham and Miss Sallie Allingham left today for Lawton where they will visit relatives and attend the celebration given by the citizens of Lawton and the soldiers at Fort Sill. Miss Allingham will visit relatives in LaPlatte, Mo., before she returns.

### Lundy Case Goes To Quallah.

The Lundy rape case that was tried here several days ago, and resulted in a hung jury, has been transferred to Quallah and is set for trial Monday in district court.

Mrs. N. Pierce, representing the Kidd-Key College of Sherman, is in Vernon this week on business.

Mrs. J. T. Williams and daughter, Mrs. Louie Bonnar, left yesterday afternoon to spend a few days in Wichita Falls.

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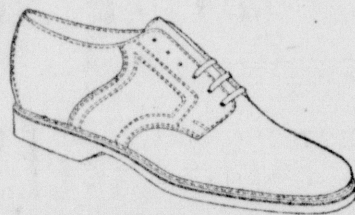
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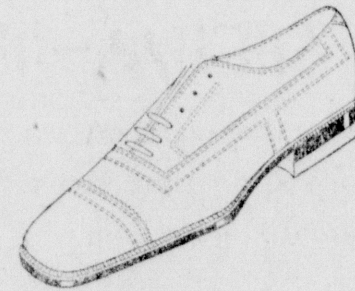
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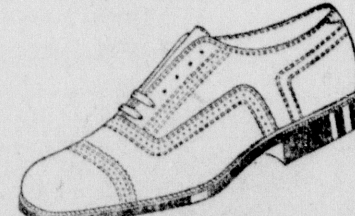
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